

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA****Abstract**

Higher Education Department- 3rd Amendment on UGC Regulations, 2018 (UGC Regulations, 2023)-Clarification on the requirement of Orientation course/Refresher course for promotions due under the Career Advancement Scheme-Orders Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION(C)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.55/2026/HEDN Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 14-01-2026

Read 1 Notification No.F. No. 9-1/2010(PS/MISC)Pt. Vol.II dated 31.07.2018 of University Grants Commission.

ORDER

As per the 3rd amendment on UGC Regulations 2018 (UGC Regulations 2023) referred above, Clause 6.3 VIII was amended by extending the relaxation for fulfilling of Orientation and Refresher course up to 31.12.2023.

2. In the circumstances, Government are pleased to clarify that the relaxation for fulfilling of Orientation and Refresher course which was extended up to 31.12.2023 as per the Clause 6.3 VIII of the 3rd amendment on UGC Regulations 2018 (UGC Regulations 2023) shall be applicable to incumbents who have opted for UGC Regulations, 2010 also.

(By order of the Governor)

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